

The Oil Shale Corporation

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Utah County*

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Vice President

Mr. Cleon B. Feight, Director
Division of Oil and Gas Conservation
State of Utah
1588 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116



Dear Cleon:

We are pleased to announce the opening of our Sand Wash Project Office located on the second floor of the Zion National Bank building at #3 West Main Street, P. O. Box 814, Vernal, Utah 84078 (phone number 801 789-5100). Our resident manager in Vernal is Dr. J. M. (Joe) Merino. He is assisted by Edward B. Baker.

The overall Sand Wash Project will be operated through TOSCO's Los Angeles Office under the direction of R. Glenn Vawter, General Manager; with Robert B. Crookston, Manager of Engineering and Construction; and Al W. Schillinger, Manager of Resources. The Sand Wash Project's principal legal counsel is H. Michael Spence of Denver.

TOSCO is commencing early development of about 14,688 acres of State oil shale leases recently unitized by the State of Utah. Initial activities will be concentrated on environmental studies at the site of the leases some 35 miles south of Vernal, including the recent commencement of a field study of spent shale revegetation being carried out cooperatively with the U. S. Forest Service. Engineering, water acquisition and resource studies, geared toward commercialization of the oil shale project in the mid 1980's are currently underway in TOSCO's Los Angeles Office.

We would be pleased to have you visit our Vernal Office. Also, if you desire to inspect the spent shale revegetation plot Joe Merino would be happy to arrange a tour.

Yours truly,

R. GLENN VAWTER

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The installation of a new Centrex II Telephone System,
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will require a change in all existing telephone numbers.

The new direct dial telephone number of

R. Glenn Vawter

will be: (213) 552-7189

The new general office number will be:
(213) 552-7000